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saving process of the AP2 is carried out is shown in Fig. 15A. The saved AP managing table 414 is shown in Fig. 16B.

Further, the states of the AP storing area 411 and the data storing area 412 of the inner nonvolatile memory 41 are shown in Fig. 18A. The state of the data saving area 511 of the secure area 51 is shown in Fig. 18B.

The terminal device requests the AP6 to be downloaded (8). The IC command processing part 13 performs a downloading process of the AP6 (9) to inform the terminal device of the completion of the downloading process (10). The AP managing table 413 under a state that the downloading process of the AP6 is carried out is shown in Fig. 15B (address code 6 may be the same as or different from code 2 or data2 in the space area obtained by the saving process of the AP2). Further, the states of the AP storing area 411 and the data storing area 412 of the inner nonvolatile memory 41 are shown in Fig. 20(a).

In the specification, an example that the IC command processing part 13 waits for the request for saving the AP from the terminal device to perform the saving process is described. However, when there is no space in the AP storing area 411, the IC command processing part 13 may decide by itself to perform the saving process of the AP. In this case, as shown in Fig. 8, a following procedure is performed as described below. When the terminal device requests the AP6 to be downloaded (1), the